



Por La Gente Association 2022 - 2023 Scholarship Application

In an effort to promote educational opportunities to Latino youth in Racine County, Por La Gente Association has established multiple Latino Scholarships to be awarded to local high school students. To qualify, applicants must: (1) be of Latino descent; (2) be a Racine County resident; (3) be in their final year of high school; and (4) scheduled to attend a post-secondary institution on a full-time basis beginning the ensuing fall semester. This scholarship award is open to all Latinx students, including undocumented.

This scholarship is based on (1) academic achievement and/or (2) athletic achievement and/or (3) community involvement. Applicants should demonstrate exceptional academic and/or athletic ability and/or participation in service to their community. **FINANCIAL NEED AND ECONOMIC BACKGROUND MAY ALSO BE CONSIDERED IN THE SELECTION OF THIS SCHOLARSHIP.**

TO APPLY: Students must submit the following items **by Friday, MARCH 3, 2023 at 11:59pm**

1. Completed **SIGNED** application and disclosure forms; any incomplete applications will not be considered.
2. A copy of your **OFFICIAL** high school transcripts updated to include first semester of your senior year, as well as ACT scores (if applicable);
3. A letter of recommendation from a non-family member that can attest to your qualifications and academic and/or athletic achievements and/or community involvement.;
4. A typed essay giving a biographical sketch of who you are, career goals, & explanation of any financial need. ***The typed essay should address the benefits of your academic, athletic achievements and/or examples of service in your community, but not to exceed 2 pages.**
5. Copy of your emailed confirmation page with your Estimated Family Contribution (EFC) from your FAFSA application. Undocumented students please email scholarship committee directly to note.

THE SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE WILL REQUEST A PERSONAL INTERVIEW OF 10 FINALISTS. CANDIDATES WILL BE NOTIFIED OF THE TIME OF THEIR INTERVIEW via their personal emails provided on this application.

**PLEASE UPLOAD ALL OF THE REQUESTED INFORMATION TOGETHER to the Por La Gente Scholarship Application Portal: <https://forms.gle/v3PzMoeU4RYkRVW38>
Any incomplete application will not be accepted after the due date.**

**If you have any questions or concerns, please email us at scholarship@porlagente.org
Subject Line: Attn: Scholarship Committee**

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Scholarship Application

APPLICATION FORM

Student Name: _____

Parent's Name(s): _____

Address: _____

School Email: _____ Personal Email: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

What is your ethnicity? _____

What is the intended major you plan to pursue? _____

Please list the colleges that you have applied to and indicate which you have been accepted to:

1) _____ 2) _____

3) _____ 4) _____

IN ORDER TO DETERMINE FINANCIAL NEED, PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:

What is the size for your family household? _____

What is the annual family income? _____



ALL COMPLETED APPLICATIONS MUST INCLUDE:

- **Completed SIGNED Application**
- **A copy of your OFFICIAL high school transcript**
- **One letter of recommendation from a non-family member**
- **Typed essay (not to exceed two pages)**
- **FAFSA Confirmation page email with EFC listed**

Applicant Certification. The information provided on this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that my application, transcripts, and other requested information will be reviewed by members of the PLG Selection Committee, which consists of members of the Por La Gente Association and invited community guest interviewers. I acknowledge that if I am selected, I am responsible for communicating with the organization henceforth. I also acknowledge that if do not enroll in college, Por La Gente Association has the right to cancel my scholarship and that I will return the award.

Student Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

UPLOAD ALL THE REQUESTED INFORMATION ELECTRONICALLY TO: <https://forms.gle/v3PzMoeU4RYkRVW38>

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